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PATENT APPLICATIONIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Atsushi Tanno  
 Serial No.: 10/567,380  
 Conf. No.: 9651  
 Filed: February 7, 2006  
 For: TIRE WHEEL ASSEMBLY  
 AND NOISE-REDUCING  
 DEVICE  
 Art Unit: 1733  
 Examiner: Fischer, Justin R.

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
 Commissioner for Patents  
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January 18, 2008

Date

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

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| 01 FC:1614                         | 210.00 OP | As Amended | Previously Paid For | Present Extra | Rate         | Additional Fee |
|------------------------------------|-----------|------------|---------------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|
| Total Claims                       | 30        | -          | 30                  | =             | 0 x \$ 50.00 | = \$ 0.00      |
| Independent Claims                 | 4         | -          | 3                   | =             | 1 x \$210.00 | = \$ 210.00    |
| Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims  |           |            |                     |               | \$370.00     | = \$ 0.00      |
| Total Additional Fee               |           |            |                     |               |              | \$ 210.00      |
| Small Entity Fee (reduced by half) |           |            |                     |               |              | \$             |

(X) Amendment A, with a check for \$210.00 (one (1) additional independent claim).

(X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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